

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants:	Simon Korowitz Harris D. Kagan Harold Lake
Application No.:	10/722,341
Filed:	November 25, 2003
Entitled:	DISTRIBUTED CONTROL SYSTEM WITH MULTIPLE CONTROL LEVELS AND/OR DOWNLOADING
Atty. Docket No.:	102314-157

Group Art Unit: 2111

Examiner: Raymond Phan

Certificate of Mailing (37 C.F.R. 1.8)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being electronically transmitted via EFS-Web to: MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date set forth below.

October 19, 2006

By: 

Date of Signature and Deposit

Joshua T. Matt, Reg. No. 55,435  
Attorney for Applicants

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed May 19, 2006:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begins on page 19.